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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

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Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Previously Presented) A non-toxic, edible, enteric film coating, dry powder composition for use in preparing an aqueous enteric coating suspension which may be used in coating of substrates, comprising:
- a. about 20-90 % of a methacrylate copolymer of Type C by weight of the composition
 - b. a plasticizer
 - c. a film coating detackifier
 - d. an opacifier,

wherein the dry powder composition does not contain any alkalinizing agent.

- 2. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry <u>powder</u> composition of claim 1, comprising from about 30-90 % of the methacrylate copolymer by weight of composition.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry <u>powder composition</u> of claim 1, comprising polyethylene glycol 6000 as the plasticizer.
- 4. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry <u>powder</u> composition of claim 1, comprising <u>from</u>-about 5-30 % of the plasticizer by weight of the composition.
- 5. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry <u>powder</u> composition of claim 1, comprising talcum as the film coating detackifier.

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- 6. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, comprising from about 7.5-35 % of the film coating detackifier by weight of the composition.
- The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 7. (Currently Amended) 1, comprising titanium dioxide as the opacifier.
- The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 8. (Currently Amended) 1, comprising from about 0.1-40 % of the opacifier by weight of the composition.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim [[16]]I, further comprising a pigment at least one selected from the group consisting of FD&C lakes, D&C lakes, and mixtures thereof-as the pigments.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim [[16]]9, comprising up to no more than 50 % of the pigment[[s]] by weight of the composition.
- 11. (Currently Amended) A process of making a dry powder enteric film coating composition which may be reconstituted for obtaining an aqueous enteric suspension used for coating of substrates comprising of dry blending of the following-ingredients comprising:
- a, about 20-90 % of a methacrylate copolymer of Type C by weight of composition
 - b. a plasticizer
 - c. a film coating detackifier
 - d. an opacifier

in a suitable mixer or food processor to achieve a uniform mix of the dry powder film coating composition,

wherein the composition does not contain any alkalinizing agent.

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- 12. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, comprising from 40-75 % of the methacrylate copolymer by weight of the composition.
- 13. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, comprising from-5-25 % of the plasticizer by weight of the composition.
- 14. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, comprising from 10-30 % of the film coating detackifier by weight of the composition.
- 15. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, comprising from about 2.5-30 % of the opacifier by weight of the composition.
- 16. (Currently Amended) The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 1, further comprising a pigment[[s]], which are is approved for use for human consumption.
- 17. (Currently Amended) The process of making a dry powder enteric film coating composition of claim 11, wherein the composition further comprises a pigment[[s]].
- The enteric film coating dry powder composition of claim 18. (Currently Amended) 1, comprising from about 20-75-40-69 % of the methacrylate copolymer by weight of composition.